

# IDAHO POTATO PULSE



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## **Important Meeting Reminder - USBP Nomination Meeting starts TODAY.**

### **USBP (United States Potato Board) Delegate Election Meeting**

The annual USBP Delegate nomination meeting is being held TODAY in Idaho Falls at the Shilo Inn starting at 1:00 p.m. If you would like a voice in how the USBP spends your assessment dollars, this is your chance.

Idaho has 6 USBP Districts:

- District One: Boise - Mtn. Home
- District Two: Mtn. Home – Burley. (Two positions open)
- District Three: Burley – Pocatello. (One position open)
- District Four: Pocatello – Idaho Falls
- District Five: Idaho Falls- St. Anthony
- District Six: Seed District. (One position open)

Idaho needs good USBP leadership so Idaho needs you. Contact Todd Cornelison at (208) 559-4792 if you are interested in serving.

#### **Diversity Statement**

The United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA's) programs are open to all individuals without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or marital status. It is therefore the United States Potato Board's (USBP's) policy to have the representation of producers on its board that reflect the diversity of individuals served by its programs and strongly encourages women, minorities and persons with disabilities to seek nominations to the Board and to participate in the Board's activities.

### **Still Free Tickets left for Potato Night at the Ball Field**

There are still free tickets available for Potato Night this evening at the ball field. Potato Night is being starting at approximately 5:00 p.m. Contact Todd Cornelison at 559-4792 for your tickets to the event. Don't forget, there is a special room rate available at the Shilo Inn that night for people who would like to stay and then attend the United Potato Grower's all growers meeting being held tomorrow. Just call the Shilo and request the IPC special rate for that evening.

### **2010 Acreage Counting Report**

The 2010 acreage report will be announced at the United Potato Growers of Idaho all growers meeting. Everybody is invited to listen to the acreage report. The meeting is being held at the Shilo Inn in Idaho Falls tomorrow. The meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m.

### **Calendar**

#### **July**

- 6 USBP Delegate Election Meeting, 1:00-3:00 p.m., Shilo Inn, Idaho Falls, ID
- 6 Potato Night at the Ballpark, Melaleuca Field, Idaho Falls, ID
- 7 United of Idaho Board Meeting, Idaho Falls, ID
- 7 United of Idaho All Growers Meeting (acreage report to be given), Shilo Inn, Idaho Falls, ID

9 NASS Fall Potato Acreage Report.  
13 IGSA Board Meeting, Idaho Falls, ID  
21-21 IPC Commission Meeting, Eagle, ID  
30-1 PMA Foodservice Convention, Monterey, CA

August

7 United of Idaho Board Meeting  
9-13 USB Summer Meeting, Red Lion Hotel, Pocatello, ID

September

1-3 IGSA Sun Valley Convention, Sun Valley, ID  
14-16 NPC Public Policy Conference, Washington, DC